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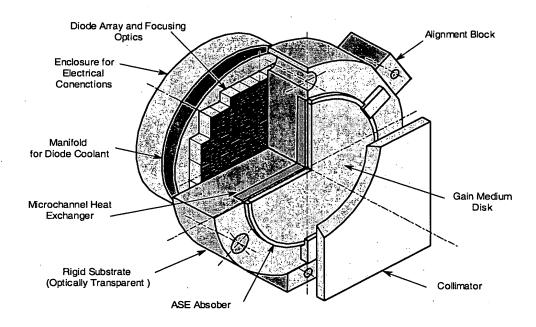
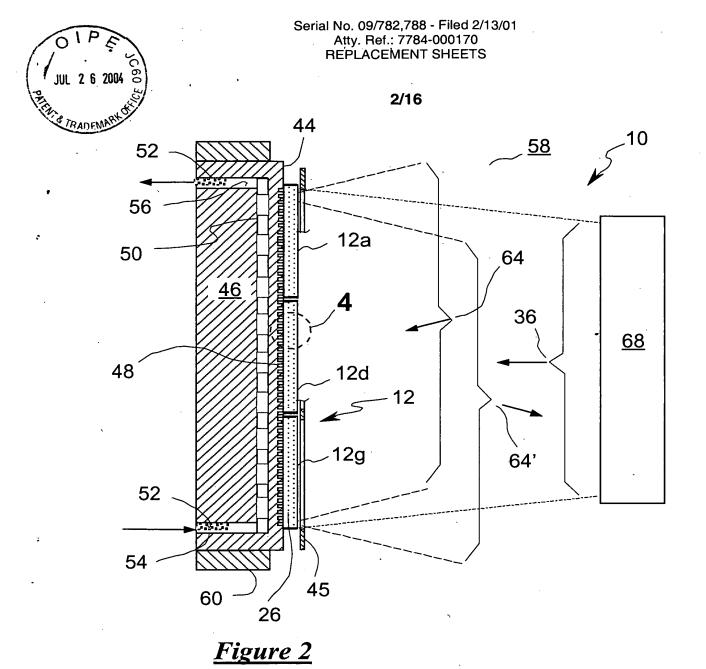


Figure 1

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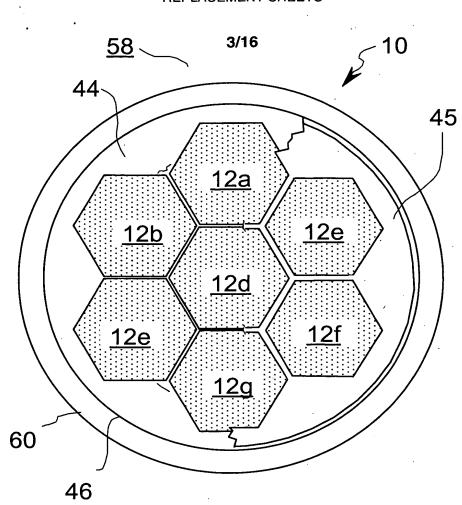
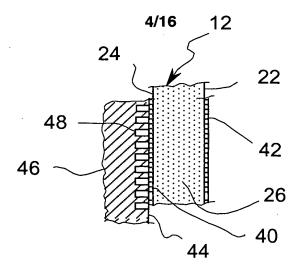


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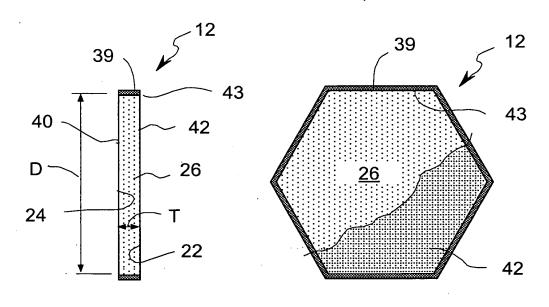


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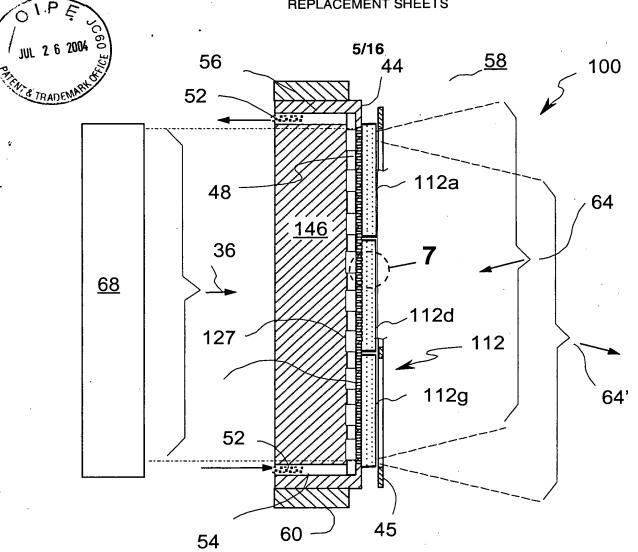


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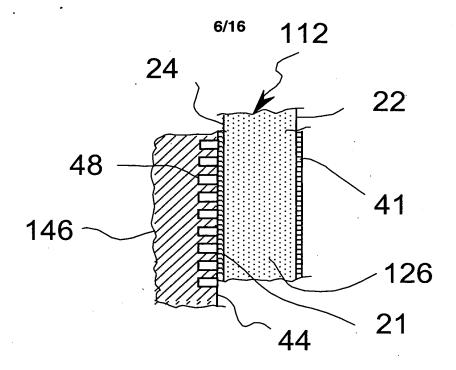


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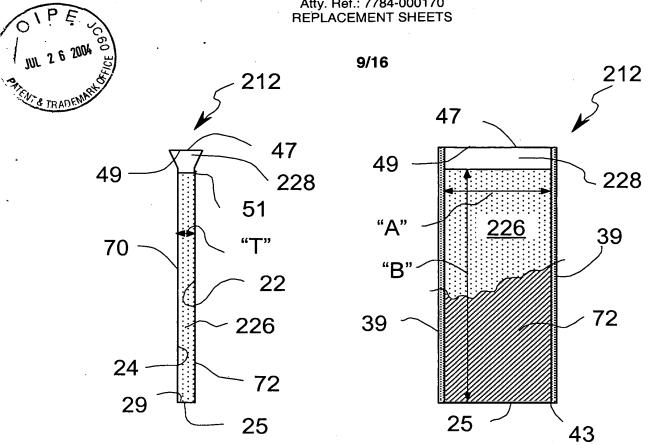


Figure 10a

Figure 10b



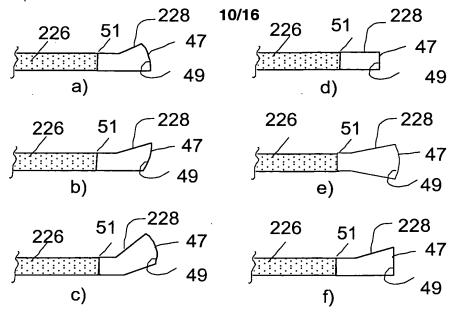


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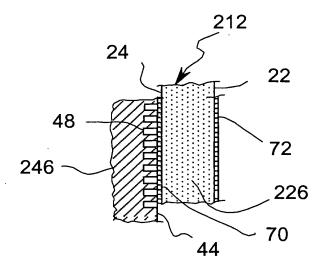


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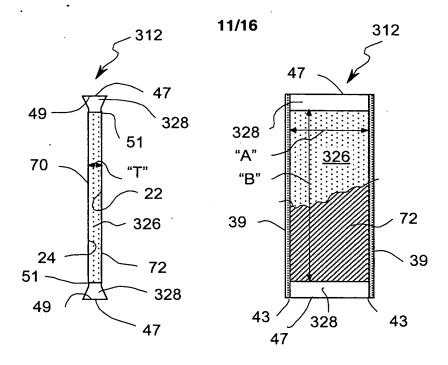


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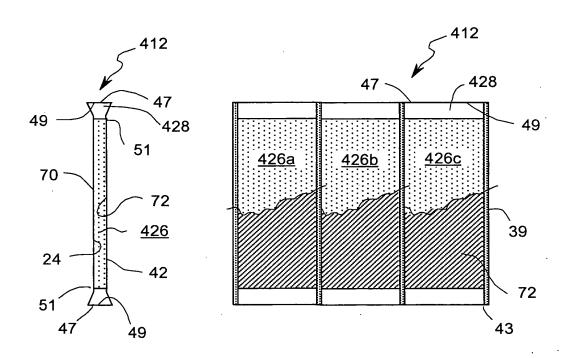


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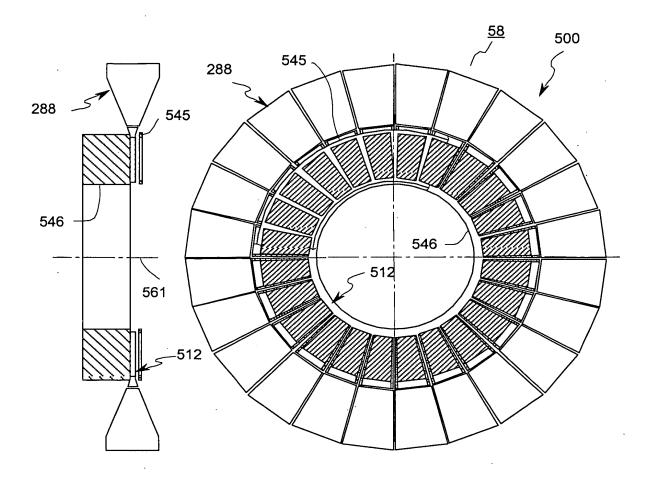


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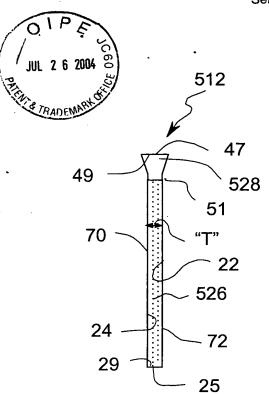


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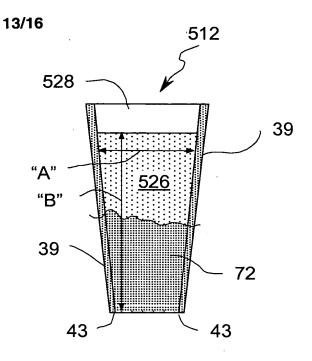


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Figure 18





